



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

UMEK, et al.

Serial No.: 09/626,096

Filed: July 26, 2000

For: *Sequence Determination of
Nucleic Acids Using Electronic
Detection*

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It is hereby requested that the time to submit a response to the Office Action mailed June 14, 2004 be extended one month to October 14, 2004. A check for the required amount of \$110.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a) is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Order No. A-68271-2/RMS/RMK/SPL (463037-204))

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